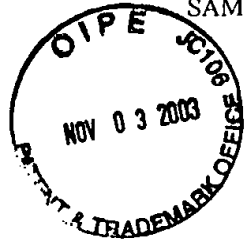


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Dear Sir/Madam:

This is a reply to the Office Action dated June 3, 2003 (Paper No. 6). Please amend the above-referenced patent application as follows. Reconsideration is respectfully requested in view of the following remarks and amendments. Please charge any required fees to our Deposit Account No. 01-1960. A duplicate copy of this letter is enclosed for that purpose.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of the claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 12 of this paper.